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CONTINUATION-IN-PART (CIP) PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

INVENTOR(S): Gil Gavriel Dudkiewicz and Dale Kittrick Hitt

**TITLE: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GENERATING METADATA FOR
PROGRAMMING EVENTS**

In connection with this application, the following are enclosed:

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract): 58 pages
- ☒ Claims: 32
- ☒ Formal Drawings: 18 Sheets
- ☐ Power of Attorney By Assignee and Exclusion of Inventor Under Rule 37 C.F.R. § 3.71
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney
 - ☐ Unsigned
 - ☒ Executed (original or copy)
 - ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(relates to continuation/divisional boxes completed) - NOTE: Box below

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

- ☒ Assignment with Recordation Form Cover Sheet; check in the amount of \$40.00.
- ☐ Revocation and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(IDS) with PTO-1449. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$493.00 for filing fee.
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing By U.S. Express Mail.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).
- ☒ Small Entity Statement: **Applicants claim small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.**
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) with Claim of Priority (if foreign priority is claimed).

CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

- ☒ Continuation-In-Part (CIP) of prior applications Serial Nos. 09/793,294, 09/793,322, 09/793,357, and 09/793,479, each filed 26 February 2001.
- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: --This application is a continuation, ☐ divisional or ☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed .--

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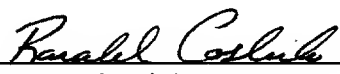
(1) For	(2) Number Filed	(3) Number Extra	(4) Rate	(5) Basic Fee \$740. (\$370.)
Total Claims	32 - 20 =	12	X \$18 (x \$9)	81.
Independent Claims	4 - 3 =	1	X \$84 (x \$42)	42.
Multiple Dependent Claims: 0			\$280 (\$140)	0.
Assignment Recording Fee per property			\$40	40.
Surcharge Under 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)			\$130 (\$65)	0.
TOTAL FEE:				\$533.

METHOD OF PAYMENT:

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Respectfully submitted,

November 16, 2001
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